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HISTORIC ADOBE RECEIVES MAKEOVER ***Restoration of Section of Los Peñasquitos Ranch House to be Celebrated***

District 3 County Supervisor Pam Slater-Price and the Department of Parks and Recreation invite the public to a celebration on Nov. 7 commemorating the restoration of Wing C at the historic Rancho Los Peñasquitos Ranch House. The restoration opens another chapter in the nearly 180 years of history at the elegant 19th-century ranch house.

Wing C will feature a 19th-century kitchen adorned with historically accurate furnishings, tools, and utensils. This restoration adds a new and important element to the park's La Vida del Rancho school program, which each year teaches more than 800 elementary school children what life was like in the 1800s on a rancho. The newly restored section of the adobe, which is a nationally recognized historic site, will also feature a multipurpose room for meetings and special events.

"This noteworthy project embodies the County's commitment to enriching our children's familiarity with local, regional and even national history," said Supervisor Pam Slater-Price. "This addition is also important because it furthers the county's commitment to safeguarding our significant historic and cultural resources." The supervisor noted that Los Peñasquitos enhances the quality of life for members of the local community and community groups through education, and by offering a site for meetings and events.

The celebration of the restoration of Wing C will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 7 at Los Peñasquitos Ranch House. Refreshments will be provided. There will be an adobe open house with docent interpretation, and free wagon rides. The adobe is located at 12020 Black Mountain Road, at the west end of Canyonside Park Drive, west of the ball fields at Canyonside Park.

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